Emery, Bird, Thayorth Emery, Bird, Thayorth.

Boys and Children's Suits.

We want to reduce our stock just one-half during the few weeks from now to Christmas. To do so we will put new prices on nearly every garment in the department. The following are a few of the specials we offer beginning to-day, December 1st. Bring the boys if you can; if not, anything you purchase will be

cheerfully exchanged should you not get the correct size. Young Men's Suits. 14 to 29 years (30 to 26 in, chest measure). There is a style of up-to-dateness about our suits for the larger boys that is lacking in those found at clothing stores. "Superior Talloring" and "Perfect Filting" only, three prices on nearly the entire stock—

\$8.98, \$10.98 and \$12.00 Suit. Suits worth from \$11 to \$16.50.

Reefer Suits. 100 Receier Suits, sizes 4 to 8 years, of Scotch cheviots and cassimeres, in brown and gray checks, plaids and mixtures—all with handsomely braided collars—many of these with the separate shield. This makes one of the most practical suits for boys of these ages. Nothing but finest talloring shown on these. Values up to \$1.00. In our December Sale for, suit,

\$3.48 and \$4.95. Boys' Cape Overcoats.

About 59 of these, in gray, tan and brown, checks and mixtures—many of these with double capes—all well made and worth up to \$6.00 each, in our December Sale for, \$3.48 Sizes 3, 4, 5 and 6 years.

25c. 39c and 50c.

Suitable for school or dress.

Middy Suits.

This is one of the most popular styles for boys from 3 to 8 years, as it does away with shirt waists and blouses. About 300 of these, including the season's choicest novelties, in Scotch cheviots and cassimeres, in all the new shades of brown, tan and olive, in checks and mixtures. Three popular prices on about 300 suits—viz.,

\$3.98, \$4.95, \$5.95.

Third Floor.

About Thirty Left

as sample garments only are made, and at manufacturers' prices.

That Muslin Underwear Dept.

French Flannel Dressing Sacques.

Two qualities-\$4.75 and \$5.28-all sizes, assorted colors, silk \$2.98 Waist Dept.-Third Floor.

Made by the "C. B. a la Spirite" makers in the new low bust and short hip effect, still giving the long waist—lace and ribbon trimming top and bottom, made especially to our order, to sell at the popular price of, each.

Black, white and gray. This is the third shipment of this popular corset within the month, and is the most emphalic hit of the season in corset selling; nothing like it elsewhere at less than double the price.

Blg Corset Dept.—Third Floor.

We closed out the entire sample line of one of the largest importers in this line—over 600 caps—which enables us to give you fine Silk and Wool Tams and Toques, in almost any combination of colors imaginable. This is the largest purchase of these goods ever brought to Kansas City, and gives you caps that are worth up to \$1.50 each for

Suits worth from \$5.00 to \$8.00. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

Some of the Bargains On Third Floor.

Misses' Jackets.

Our entire stock of Novelty Jackets, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$39.00 and \$32.50 qualities, Blouses, Military Cape effects, fly front, tailor made, some elaborately braided, some fur trimmed, beginning to-day, all go at the \$16.50 Sizes 32, 34 and 36 bust. Every garment new—this season's new lengths and shapes—none reserved. Get here early for the choice—none sent on approval or exchanged at this price.

Of those Girls' Gretchens or Long Cloaks, ages 6, to 10 years—all new within the past ten days, bought for two-thirds of the regular price from a high grade manufacturer. No two garments alike, but all samples, made

\$9.00 Garments, \$6.00. \$10.00 Garments, \$7.00. \$12.00 Garments, \$8.00. Third Floor.

other Shipment of Those Paris Girdle Corsets No. 320.

Big Corset Dept.-Third Floor.

Each item's interesting in itself, not only for the saving, but the usefulness, which you can readily perceive. Come early for these.

Infants' and Children's Warm Caps.

Special Values at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Odds and ends of the season's sell-ing-all colors, all sizes. Third Floor-Infants' Dept.

1,000 Ladies' Fancy Holiday Aprons at Half. Entire manufactured stock of a

prominent			
new-never	shown	until th	is sale-
bought for	spot ca	sh at 50	c on the
dollar.			
50c and 60c	Fancy	Aprons	29c
for	*********		206
75c and 85c	Fancy	Aprons	200
for			39c
\$1 and \$1.2	Fancy	Aprons	590

for	530
\$1.50 Fancy Aprons	70-
for	/ 36
\$2 Fancy Aprons	000
\$2 Fancy Aprons	
These in connection with our	
moth line of fine White Aprons	at all

Third Floor.

Great Clearing Sale of Ladies' Silk Waists.

Over 200 Silk Waists, all new, bought for this sale at 60c on the dollar, all made with the new blouso front—in plaids, stripes, checks, changeable and Black Taffetts. Think of over 200 and all for less than you can have the silk along. These you can buy the silk alone. Three prices, beginning to-day,

\$3.98, \$5.00 and \$5.95.

Values from \$6.00 to \$10.00 each. In addition to above we have made new prices on our entire new line of Silk Waists now on hand—embracing Shirt Waists Dress Waists—in silk, in fancy and embroidered velvets, all go in this December Clearing Sale.

No woman's wardrobe now complete without several of these more than popular garments. Third Floor-Big Walst Department. Six

Emery, Bird, Thayoure.

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KANSAS CITY, MO., Dec. 1.—Yesterday's Temperature—Max., 43; Min., 20. To-day we look for the weather to be colder; probably snow

The Thirty-Fifth Annual December Sale Will Begin This Morning.

countries for Holiday goods. These goods have been arriving day after day, until to-day, Wednesday, December 1, we will show the Grandest Collection of Merchandise ever shown in our city, and in addition to this we have purchased several lines of goods at onethird to one-half less than regular price, which will be included in this Big 35th Annual December Sale at prices a little more than the net cash cost to us. Cake your selection of Holiday Presents now while the stocks are large and prices low. We will, when goods are purchased for Christmas Presents, store and deliver all such presents on December 24.

Our big sale of Fall Millinery begins to-day, December 1st, and will continue during the Millinery Dept. Our big sale of Fall Millinery begans to-day. December 1st, and will be correct week. We place on sale about 25 Pattern Hats that are the select ideas, having the correct colors and combinations in vogue, and such as are being worn in the Eastern centers of high art dress and fashion. Early season prices on these were \$18.00 to \$30.00 each; December closing price. Half former price. Thus you can secure a

\$20.00 Model for \$10.00 each.

\$30.00 Model for \$15.00 each.

BLACK PICTURE HATS, which have been the rage of our city, will go on sale for 20 per cent off former prices-thus:

\$18.00 Hats will be \$14.40. \$20.00 Hats will be \$16.00.

CAVALIER STYLE FELT, silk bands, stitched edge; 98c quality; colors, black,

We sell all these at above discount without change or alterations.

Shoes.

To-day several small lots go on sale at prices (for such shoes) that make

\$15.00 Hats will be \$12.00.

the saving	to you an obj	ect.
lined Shoe season's sh	EN—Men's corl s, the \$5.00 ki napes, sizes lim sizes, a pair	nd, but last ited to small

Men's Wax Calf. Box Calf and Chocolate color willow calf, welted and stitched sole Shoes, Rockland Shoe Company's make, and worth \$5.00 a pair,

Men's Patent Leather and Enamels, broken sizes, worth \$5.00, \$1.98 Men's Gore Nulliflers-black and chocolate, turned soles, \$1.50

FOR WOMEN—Odds and ends of a dozen different styles and sizes, mostly small, but not narrow widths, worth \$5.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00. FOR MISSES-Spring heel Shoes, in

Goat and Kid skin, for school and dress, worth \$2.00,

Crockery. Glassware, Lamps.

\$100,000 stock to make your selection from, new goods imported direct from manufacturers by us from foreign countries. We have the handsomest display of Crockery, Glassware and Lamps ever made in this city-a regular exposition that will repay any woman to spend an hour or so looking through. New creations, new decorations, Crockery and Glassware to make a table or sideboard look most beautiful at the lowest prices known

ALSO-We will have on sale for four days longer the lower grade of Crockery and Glassware at about one-half regular price, purchased from a Liverpool manufacturer. Also the entire stock of a lower Main street merchant. These goods will be about one-half his Come and see what you can buy on the Bargain Counters for

5c and 10c Each.

Jewelry Dept.

Nearly 200 Tankard Jugs go on sale to-day at, \$1.48

These Jugs are imitation cut glass, with quadruple silver plated top. They can scarcely by close inspection be distinguished from the genuine cut glass with sterling silver top that retail for

To-day we will place on sale one lot of Ladies' full length Dressing Combs, with a good strong quadruple silver plated fancy embossed back. This comb is usually sold in the regular way for 65c, but to-day our price

Silver Garter Buckles.

A big lot of Sterling Silver fancy design Garter Buckles. These buckles have sold and are selling to-day for \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$2.98, but to-day our

All Silk Elastic, all colors,40c

Walnut.

In Ladies' Suit Dept.

The popularity of this department grows with the people and the satisfactory service, with the fact that all our goods are sold at the lowest possible price, places this department high in the estimation of the public. Special purchases for this big sale are the cause of these low prices.

Emery, Bird, Thayerves Emery, Bird, Thayerves.

Ladies' Suits.

\$6.98 for \$13.50 Suit.

We have just 14 of these tailor-made Jacket Suits, made of fine all wool invisible check, jacket satin lined, finished in lap seams, skirt nicely lined and cut in the latest drape, colors blue, red and brown, for. \$6.98

Ladies' Sample Blouse Jackets. A sample line of Russian Blouse Jackets, hardly any two alike, made of Kersey Cloth, some beautifully braided with plain fur and ribbon trimmed, others braided and trimmed in Persian Lamb, handsome plaid, plain silk linings—colors black, red, new blue and navy; values from \$22,00 to \$30,00, in this \$15.00

Tan Covert Jackets.

From one of New York's cloth im-porters we bought all the Tan Covert Cloth he had. Then we took this cloth to one of our best jacket makers, told him not to stint himself—to put into the making of these coats all the it the advanced touches of style and fish, and here's the result—a \$15 Roman Striped Lined A \$10.00 Half Silk Lined \$10.00 acket for ...

Values up to \$10 for \$5.

Made of a very good wearing fur, cut in the very full sweep, high flar-ing storm collar. 29, 24 and 27 inches long and satin lined. all sizes, for... \$5.00
Brook Mink Neck Animals, made with the patent head and claws, in this sale... 69c
Muffs to match Muffs to match

Fur Collarettes.

Made of fine quality of Electric Seal, trimmed all around with handsome quality of brown bear, fancy silk lining and high storm collar, value \$15.00, in this \$15.00, in this \$10.98

Separate Dress Skirts. We have taken all our good skirts in novelties and fancy colors, and will place them in this sale, made of fancy Matelasse. Striped Melton, Homespun and Brown Doucet Serge, values \$5.00.

Also another lot of Skirts, made of Fancy Foucie Checks, in all the new colors, cut in the new shape, nicely lined and velvet bound, in this sale.

\$1.98

Look This List Over.

You will find here much that will be selling for small prices to-day on the

\$3.00 for \$1.48.

We will offer in our Knit Underwear Department 120 Ladies' Cream White Wool Union Suits, never sold by us for less than \$3.90. We secured this lot from one of the best manufacturers at less than half price. They are of this season's make, all sizes, 3, 4, 5 and 6. They are very fine soft wool garments, and you can buy this lot at less than half

10c for 6 1-2c.

2,460 yards Striped and Checked Tennis Flannels, in delicate colorings, made to sell lee; you can buy in our Flannel Department

8 1-3c for 5c.

68c for 55c.

10c for 6 1-2c.

We will offer in our Flannel Department 5 cases extra quality Unbleached Canton Fannel, never sold by us in regular stock for less than 10c, you can buy in our December Sale for, yard.

After these 5 cases sold the price will be 10c yard. 20c for 10c.

28-inch wide Wool Tennis Flannels, made to sell 29c, for,

We will offer in our Muslin Depart-ment 150 Bleached Hemmed Sheets (extra size), 9039 inches, suitable for brass beds, for,

12 1-2c for 7 1-2c.

\$1.98 for \$1.50. 80 pairs White or Gray Fleeced Blankets, size 73x80 inches, extra heavy, made to sell \$1.28, \$1.50

\$2.00 for \$1.50.

7 bales Sateen Covered Comforts carded cotton filled, size 70 \$1.50

\$4.00 for \$2.08. 45 pairs White Blankets, all wood warp, as well as filling, size 8(x8) inches, made to sell \$1.00, \$2.98

\$5.50 for \$4.98. 20 pairs White Wool Blankets, Roman Stripe borders, pink, blue, yellow and scarlet, size 73x80 inches, on sale in Blanket Department in Blanket Department 54.98
for 27 pairs White Wool Blankets, size 74x86 inches (note size), very heavy, soft and fine, for 2 F F C soft and fine, for pair. \$5.50 pair. S5.50 in our December 1st Sale we will offer 100 dozen Bleached 24x24 inch Napkins, always sold by us for \$2.00 dozen, for \$1.69

1 lot 72-inch Bleached Damask Table
Linen, the regular price of which is
\$1.50 yard, will offer
this lot for

1 case fine Honey Comb Bedspreads,
with heavy knotted fringe (for the
brass beds), always sold for \$2.50;
take your choice

1 lot knotted Fringe Damask Towels sold by us as well as every other deal-er for 5c; in our December 1st Sale will offer this towel (Note the size, 23x50 inches.) 1 lot 18-inch Bleached Twill Crash, made to sell for 15c; in our December 1st Sale will offer this lot 10c, yard 10c.

75c for 5oc. We will offer in our Hosiery department 500 pairs Ladies fine imported English Cashmere Hose, fine light weight, spliced ankles, double soles, value 75c, for.

\$2.75 per half dozen pairs.

COLORED WOMAN WHO WAS UP ON THE CRIMINAL COURT.

Mrs. Powell's Little Statement Cause

Ripple, as Does the Testimony

of Several Witnesses in Circuit Court. J. E. Courtial, a saloonkeeper at Eighteanth and Indiana avenue is the defendant in a \$5,000 damage suit brought by Mrs. Mattie Powell, a colored woman living in the vicinity, for personal injuries. Mrs. Powell claims that three big dogs owned by Courtial pounced upon her on one occasion and severely lacerated her flesh. The case was called in Judge Slover's court several weeks ago, but the plaintiff failed to appear, and a diligent search failed to produce her. It was claimed at the time

that she and her husband started for the

court house and got to the wrong court

Mrs. Powell was on hand yesterday, how-

ever, with a weird story to account for he failure to appear at the former trial. "I heard some women say," said Mrs. Poweil, "that Mrs. Courtial would kill me if I went to the court. I got scared, and went to a house near by and stayed all day. I knowed there wasn't any law in Jackson county for a nigger, anyhow."

Mrs. Powell didn't know any of the women who made the revelations as to Mrs Courtial's bloodthirsty disposition. The latter was in court yesterday, fat, jolly, but business-like. She laughed at the idea that she would do anybody any harm for suing her, and declared she did not authorize any of her female friends or neighbors to speak for her in the matter of threats against Mrs. Powell.

"What for would I kill a colored woman?" asked Mrs. Coartial with an indignant and characteristic shrug. "One more or less is all the same to me."

Mrs. Courtial was not the only one who laughed yesterday. The trial provoked considerable merriment from start to finish. Officer John Young testified to the affectionate disposition of the alleged foreclous canines. latter was in court yesterday, fat, jolly canines.
"I am in the saloon every day of my
life." he began—
"What!" interrupted Judge Amos H.
Kagy, counsel for Mrs. Powell, "a Kansas
City policeman in a saloon every day of his life?" "Well," explained the witness, "I go to "Well," explained the mining, and usually frop into the saloon. I don't go in there to drink, for that isn't my beat. I just drop in." Henry Flynn, a little man with a dark mustache and a bald head, was the next witness. witness,
"What is your business?" asked Judge Kagy. "Tensorial artist," announced Mr. Flynn, pompously. "What is that?" asked the judge, in sur-"Oh, you cut hair and shave people.
Why didn't you say so?"
Mr. Flynn's dignity was slightly disar-ranged, but he got in a few good words

ranged, but he got in for the big dogs. The case will probably be finished to-day.

GREEN GIVEN TWO YEARS. Defaulting Railway Clerk Who Stole \$1,000 Gets Off With a Mini-

mum Sentence.

KNOWS JACKSON CO. JUSTICE shal went there and found Green working as a bookkeeper in a large freight house

CATES CASE AGAIN. Judge Longan Will Hear Arguments

on the Question of a Fourth Trinl. dicted for the murder of his cousin, Monroe Bales. He was tried three times, and each trial resulted in a hung jury. On applica-tion of his lawyers Judge Longan dis-missed the case, with the consent of Prosbe dismissed. The people of Ray county protested against the dismissal and de-

Judge Longan will hear to-morrow night at 7 o'clock the arguments for and against the reinstatement on the court docket of the case against Benjamin F. Cates of

It Had a Keen Edge

manded that Lowe petition the judge to reinstate the case, that Cates might be

SETTLED OUT OF COURT. Mrs. Sarah Webster Will Get \$500 for

Inturies Received During Carnival Festivities. Mrs. Sarah Webster will get \$500 from th city and the Priests of Pallas for injuries received in the fall of 1896. The fall was received in the fall of 1836. The fall was from her wagon and was caused by her horse getting frightened at the great fiery dragon, which was one of the chief features of the Priests of Pallas parade a year ago. The city was held responsible because it permitted the Priests of Pallas to exhibit the dragon on the streets of Kansas City. She sued for \$10,000.

Sues for a Lost Trunk.

Charles Roberts, the colored boy who was badly cut up by his cellmate at the county jail about two weeks ago, yesterday swore cific yesterday for \$209 for the loss of a

MISS MILDRED STOKES. A Society Bud, Worth \$10,000,000, Who Made Her Debut in New York

Society the Other Day.



out a warrant before Justice Spitz against his assailant, Charles Rogers, charging aim with an assault with intent to kill. The trunk itself was worth \$18, says Dr. Schuster, a suit of clothes worth \$18, says Dr. Schuster,

was mysteriously lost somewhere between Valedo, Kas., and this city. Interesting Point of Law. An interesting point of law.

An interesting point of law is involved in a case appealed yesterday from the probate to the circuit court. Mayfield & Thomason were extensive stock dealers, and when Champion Mayfield, of this city, died a few years ago there was a difference in their accounts of about \$2.500. Probate Judge Guinotte held that Thomason, as surviving partner, was not indebted to the estate, and Administrator Brown appealed to the circuit court.

French Expects to Give Ball.

Edwin W. French, who was arrested at his home in Kansas City, Kas., Thanksgiving night, on a charge of embezzling \$2,200 from the Blanke Tea & Coffee Company, applied to Judge Wofford yesterday to know what bail would be required for his temporary release from jail. The judge placed the bail at \$1,000, and French will probably give it to-day. Heiress in a Small Way.

Bertha C. Weldling was yesterday placed in possession of a little fortune of \$2.147.50 in the shape of a found judgment against her guardian, Jacob Hintermeister, of Muscatine county, Ia. Miss Weidling is a young woman 18 years old, who was recently adjudged insane in the probate court. She is a child in intellect and plays with dolls and other toys. More Modest in His Demands.

Thomas Wallace wants \$1,700 from the National Linseed Oil Company, because a truck fell upon him one day while he was wheeling a lot of oil cake into a car. Mr. Wallace sued for \$20,000 in the federal court, but took a non-suit. He thinks he will have a better chance if he sues in the circuit court and for a smaller amount. Sues for Being Fired.

T. D. Robertson brought suit yesterday against W. A. Kirkham, a jeweler, of Leavenworth, Kas., who recently opened a branch store in Kansas City, for \$1,00 damages, on breach of a contract. Robertson alleges that he was hired for a year at \$20 per week, but was discharged without cause after a few weeks' service.

Juror Cottrell Excused. J. H. Cottrell was yesterday excused as a juror by Judge Henry. Cottrell was mixed up in a forgery case several years ago and turned state's evidence. He was the juror who hung the jury that tried the Betsy Goslin will case.

S. M. Daniels got 3½ cents on the dollar yesterday in his \$1.500 damage suit against the Northeast electric road. He charged the company with ejecting him from a car because he would not go inside.

Asked \$1,500, Got \$50.

Court Briefs. The case of Short vs. Swift & Co. was on trial all day yesterday in the federal ourt. Emma Reeves sued William Reeves for

Gamble No Levy Will Be Ordered. Fort Smith, Ark., holding court for Judge Rogers, returned to Kansas City yesterday morning. He will be in chambers for a

trial cases. indebtedness that has been in judgment Judge Skinker and Colonel Overall, of St. Louis; Judge Shirk, of Sedalia, and Senator Henderson, of Washington, are the

Whatever may be the order of the court it can be set down as certain the judges

refused from the first to recognize the debt as valid and has scorned all efforts at compromise, and so far has been able to forestall all efforts made to compel the

court.

Emma Reeves sued William Reeves for divorce yesterday on statutory grounds.

Anna A. Pullman yesterday dismissed her suit for an accounting against Peter E. Hatch, the administrator of the estate of her late husband, David A. Pullman.

The county court held a session at Independence yesterday and considered road matters. In the afternoon the judges went on an inspection trip. The court will meet in Independence Friday and close up the unfinished business of the November term.

Benry Quinn, who was fined \$10 and ry given thirty days in jail for selling liquor for the fine upon making the customary in solvency affidavit before Commissioner Nuckols.

At Justice Case's court yesterday, opposated At Justice Case's court yesterday, opposated in making their arguments.

Consent Handerson May Have a Sur on the judges under the circumstances. It is a well known fact that if the judges wer prise to Spring, but It Is Safe to

time hearing special matters while Judge Rogers is on the bench disposing of the To-morrow the case against the county judges of St. Clair county is set down for hearing before Judge Philips. The members of the county court have been cited to appear and show cause why they should not obey the mandate of the court to make a special tax levy to settle the bond against the county for the past ten years.

leading attorneys in the case, and most of them are expected to be on hand.

Whatever may be the order of the court it can be set down as certain the judges of the St. Clair county court will not make the tax lovy that is asked for. The court has commanded it time after time, both in St. Clair and Cass counties, and several county judges have gone to jail for contempt for disobeying the order. The judges are elected squarely on the platform not to make the levy, and there has so far been no sign whatever of weakening on that proposition.

Shortly after the close of the war, when railroad companies were being organized all over the state, the county court of St. Ciair county voted a large amount of bonds to aid in the construction of some of the companies. The bonds were issued and of course passed into the hands of the usual third party, who sued when interest was defaulted as an innocent purchaser. The road was never built, and the debt against the county represents something for which no equivalent has been received. The county fought the suit, but lost it; judgment was entered for the amount, and the customary order made to levy for the tax. The levy has not been made, no interest has been paid, and the total sum now in judgment with interest amounts to fully one-third the value of the county. The county has steadfastly refused from the first to recognize the debt as valid and has scorned all efforts

rayment.

For a long time the federal court here had the members of the court actually in jail for refusing to obey its mandate. The judges were afterwards allowed to go home, although under the ruling of the court

mum Sentence.

Miss Mildred Stokes is a very imposing term at least and the pensistence of two years and a half, given him for embezzling \$2.940 from the Kansas City, \$1. Joseph & Council Biuffs Railroad Company.

Green was a trusted clerk in the company's offices here. He was married and him married and him of the pany's offices here. He was married and him marri

To order the tax levy they would betray a most sacred trust, and it might lead almost to an insurrection if an attempt was made to collect it, so bitter is the feeling. Judge John F. Philips, who has been at REPUBLICAN CLUB NOMINEES. Nominating Committee Reports Full

List of Officers, Hended by P. S.

Brown, Jr., for President.

The special committee of nine chosen to commend officers for the Missouri Republicant Clark f publican Club for the ensuing year met following list to be submitted to the club it its regular meeting on January 12: President, P. S. Brown, Jr.

President, P. S. Brown, Jr.

First vice president, Herbert S. Hadley.
Second vice president, John H. Boyard.
Third vice president, John H. Boyard.
Treasurer, Walter S. Dickey.
Corresponding secretary, Ralph Ingalls.
Recording secretary, Jesse L. Jewell.
For members of the executive committee:
G. F. Nellis, C. H. Kirshner, J. D. Goldsby, I. N. Wagner and M. DeVasher.
Finance-George J. Baer, William
Clough, J. E. Lach, Sam E. Bear and John
H. Boyard.
Membership committee-R. M. Godfrey,
C. C. Anderson and D. D. Drake,
Literary and publications—Henry Smith,
Rush C. Lake, J. I. Jewell, Thomas C.
Bell, George A. Neal, Cusil Lechtman, R.
M. Godfrey, D. D. Drake and J. H. Knapp.

So It Looks Concerning George Hall,
Arrested by Chance the
Other Night.

George Hall, who was arrested by a Pinkerton patrolman while trying to break into Jacob Shapiro's jewelry store, at 612 Walnut street, Monday night, was fined \$20 in police court yesterday on a charge of carrying concealed washed to the court of the court o Walnut street, Monday night, was fined \$30 in police court yesterday on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He was not sent to the workhouse. F. E. Widmer, of 1463 Grand avenue, went to Central police station yesterday afternoon and identified two razors, a revolver and a pair of 5 franc goldpiece earrings as having been taken from his house Monday afternoon. He asked that Hall be held for prosecution on a felony charge. Mr. Widmer lost a watch at the same time he lost the other articles, but one found on Hall he said did not belong to him. Chief Hayes says Hall is a professional burglar.

Christmas week promises as usual to be the gayest week of the winter, and already the dates of a number of smart functions have been decided upon. Among these are a darcing party at the Casino on the evening of December 27, to be given by Mrs. W. B. Clarke, and Mrs. Ewing Hall's dancing party for her sons, Lester and Porter Hall, which, Dame Rumor says, will occur on the prosecution on a felony charge. Mr. Widmer lost a watch at the same time he lost the other articles, but one found on Hall he said did not belong to him. Chief Hayes says Hall is a professional burglar.

National Board of Trade Delegates The directors of the board of trade held a meeting yesterday afternoon and appointed W. P. Trickett and John W. Moore delegates to the national board of trade which will meet in Washington, D. C., December 14 and 15. Following the meeting of the national board of trade, the National Freight Commissioners' Association will meet in Washington December 18 and 17. Mr. Trickett will represent the combined commercial bodies of Kansas City at the meeting of the latter body.

Mrs. L. D. Jennings is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. D. Gates, in St. Joseph.

PEOPLE IN SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Kemper are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Paxton in Topeka. The Misses Lucile and Anna Carkenen have out cards for a chocolate Saturday morning. Hours, 10 to 12.

Mrs. C. R. Lockridge is entertaining Mrs. T. H. Wicks., Jr., of Chicago, and Miss Venna Jordan, of Leavenworth.

Mr. D. R. Rice will go to Fort Scott to-

morrow to attend the celebration of the golden wedding of his parents, General and Mrs. John H. Rice. The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. A. will be held at the Children's home, Illa Charlotto street, Thursday morning, December 2, at 9:39 o'clock.

Mrs. Robert Cary will issue invitations to-morrow for Saturday evening, in compli-ment to her guests, Miss Celeste Price, of Jefferson City, and Miss Mary Johnson, of Boonville, Mo.

A lecture by Dr. Quayle is an event to which a large contingent of cultured people look forward with the liveliest anticipations. Dr. Quayle will deliver a lecture on the subject of "King Lear" before the Literary Club of Independence Avenue church on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

J. P. O'NEILL FAILS.

Assigns to John J. Rieger, Naming
Preferred Creditors to Amount
of \$10,363.86.

Ex-Sheriff John P. O'Neill yesterday filed
a chattel deed of trust conveying to John
J. Rieger, ex-councilman, the stock of
shoes at 225 Main street. Mr. O'Neill names
preferred creditors to whom he owes \$19.
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shoes at 225 Main street. Mr. O'Neill names
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John C. Streeby, W. Fortner and C. S. Shultz, employed by the Kansas City, Missouri, Gas Company, were overcome by gas yesterday afternoon while working in a trench connecting the Heim Brewing Company's new building at Fourteenth and Harrison streets with the gas main. They were found by other workmen and after being brought out to fresh air, Fortner and Shultz were able to go to their homes. Streeby was unconscious when taken out of the trench and had to be removed to Central police station, where Surgeon Norberg revived him.

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